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LVMPD to Begin Compliance Checks Following Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency

In support of Gov. Steve Sisolak's mandatory shutdown of nonessential businesses, the LVMPD began compliance checks today of businesses that remained open and in violation of the order.

The Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department's Special Investigations Section (SIS) is conducting the compliance checks. In addition, officers have been dispatched to businesses reported by the public through Dispatch's non-emergency 3-1-1 line or emails to the LVMPD.

Business owners or managers are given a copy of the governor's emergency directive and a letter from SIS stating they are in violation of the governor's order. Business owners or managers must sign the letter as proof of notification and officers will standby while the business is shut down.

If a business owner believes they are essential, they can make an appeal to the city or county business license.

SIS officers are in plain clothes but are identifiable as law enforcement by their badge and other police equipment.

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